

# **[REDACTED] Testimony**

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Meeting Date 10-11-2017  
Council/PH Committee ExecutiveMatters  
Agenda Item Bills 83, 87, 88  
Your position on the matter Oppose  
Representing Self  
Organization  
Do you wish to speak at the hearing? No

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We have seen over and over that criminalizing homelessness does nothing to help solve the problem. Moreover, the bills are cruel. As we have seen with similar measures, bills like these put both the homeless and the officers tasked with enforcing the bills in impossible positions. Similar bills have already put the city on the wrong end of ACLU lawsuits. Is that really the kind of legacy this city council wants to pass on? Thank you.

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